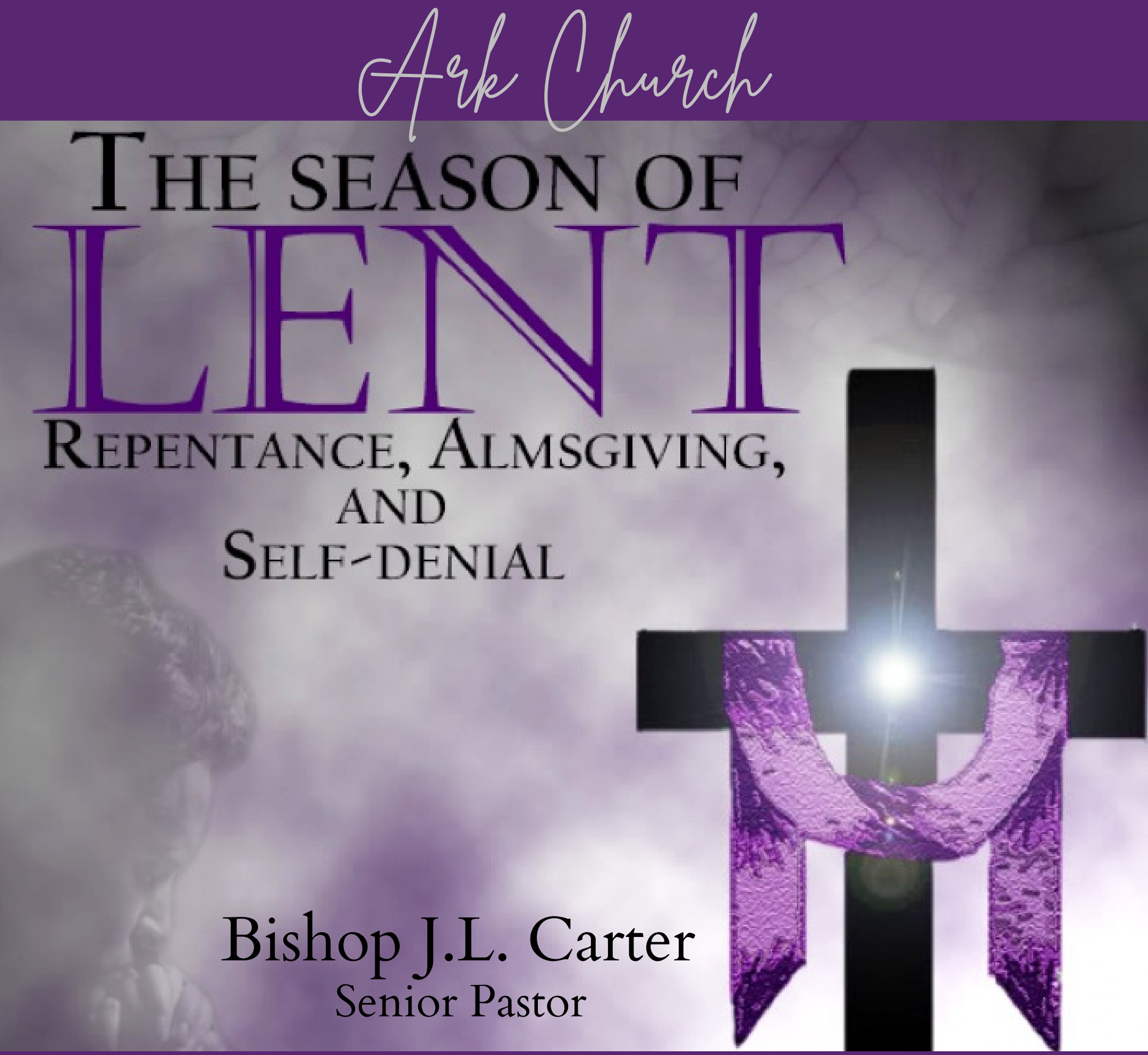
Ark Church

The season of LENT

Repentance, Almsgiving, and Self-denial



Bishop J.L. Carter
Senior Pastor

Week One - Ash Wednesday

Ash Wednesday

Remember that
you are dust, and to
dust you shall return.

Ecclesiastes 3:20

LENTEN SEASON

A day of repentance, reflection and reconciliation. This marks the beginning of the Lenten season.

The Journey

Repentance and Forgiveness

Pray

Seek God for forgiveness. Be open to receive what God has for you.

Read

Psalms 51

Reflect

Allow the Holy Spirit to bring understanding of the Word and apply it to your life.

Respond

Speak to God concerning your heart and mind. Live out what God reveals to you.

Repentance and Forgiveness

Repentance

Change of the mind and heart

Repentance

Chosing God's way instead of our flesh. Confess your sin and choose holiness daily.

Forgiveness

God's Promise not to hold our sins against us.

Forgiveness

Bring you back into union with God and your neighbor.

PRAYER FROM THE BISHOP

Sometimes oh God, it's not always easy or comfortable to admit our mistakes and missteps. Grant me the spiritual integrity to recognize my wrongs. To confess open sin with my mouth and my heart. Let me never be untruthful with myself. I know to receive your forgiveness; I must first be truthful with self. May your forgiveness forever embrace me. Bless me in this season of Lent, Amen!

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Walk In The *Word*

Matthew
18:21–35

Luke
15:11–32

Ephesians
4:25–32

Psalms
130

Journal Time

Take time to reflect on what you have read and meditated on this week. Write out your reflections as you journey through this Lent season

LETS COMMIT

Commit to connecting to the early morning prayer call at 6:30am – 7:00am every morning.
Call in number 712-775-8969, Access Code 159-539

Commit to Bible Study with Bishop every Wednesday at 7pm, Ark Church facebook live. (The Bible studies will reflect the Lent spirit and the Life of the Savior)

Commit to Church Wide Prayer the second Tuesday of the month via zoom at 7pm.
Tuesday, March 8, 2022 and Tuesday, April 12, 2022.
Zoom ID 761 422 6684 passcode 2jrSBZ. To dial into the church wide prayer, the number is 1-301-715-5892 follow the prompts by entering the zoom id and passcode.

FASTING

Options

FASTING: ABSTANING FROM FOODS AND/OR DRINK FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH, DISCERNMENT, FORGIVENESS! DELIVERSNCE, ETC.

FASTING DAYS TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS

OPTION 1: ONE MEAL PER DAY

OPTION 2: NO FOOD FROM 6AM-3PM

OPTION 3:NO SNACKS

GIVING DURING LENT

In reverence to the 40 days in the Lent season, we ask that you worship God with $40 ($1 per day) above your tithes and offerings.

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Online giving

www.arkchurch.com